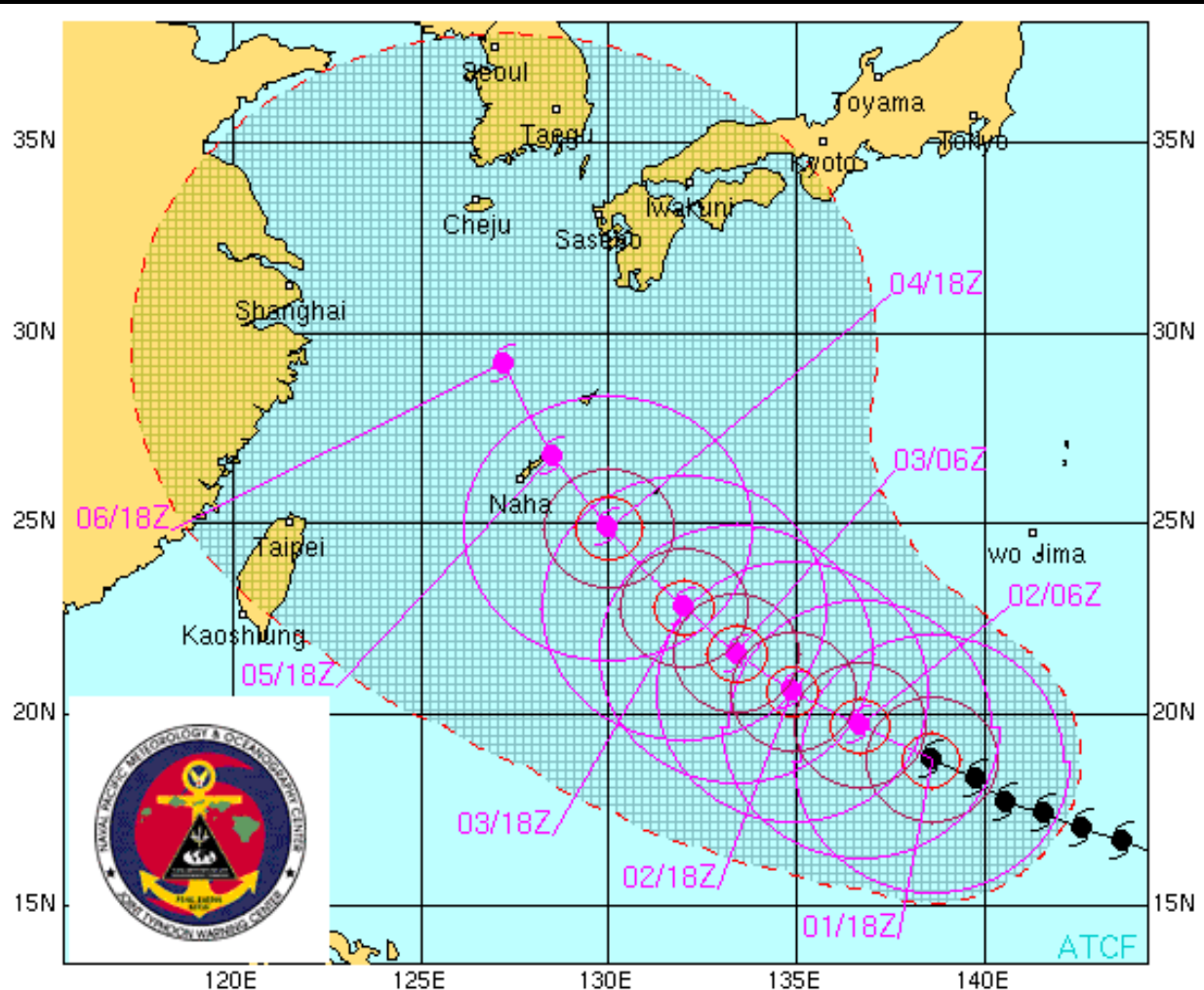


# TYPHOON CONDITIONS OF READINESS TRAINING

## TCCOR'S Brief



Weather Office:  
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# Tropical Definitions

\*Highest threat for Sasebo is from early June  
until early September



Depression: Maximum sustained winds less than 34 knots



Storm: Maximum sustained winds 34-63 knots



Typhoon: Maximum sustained winds 64-129 knots



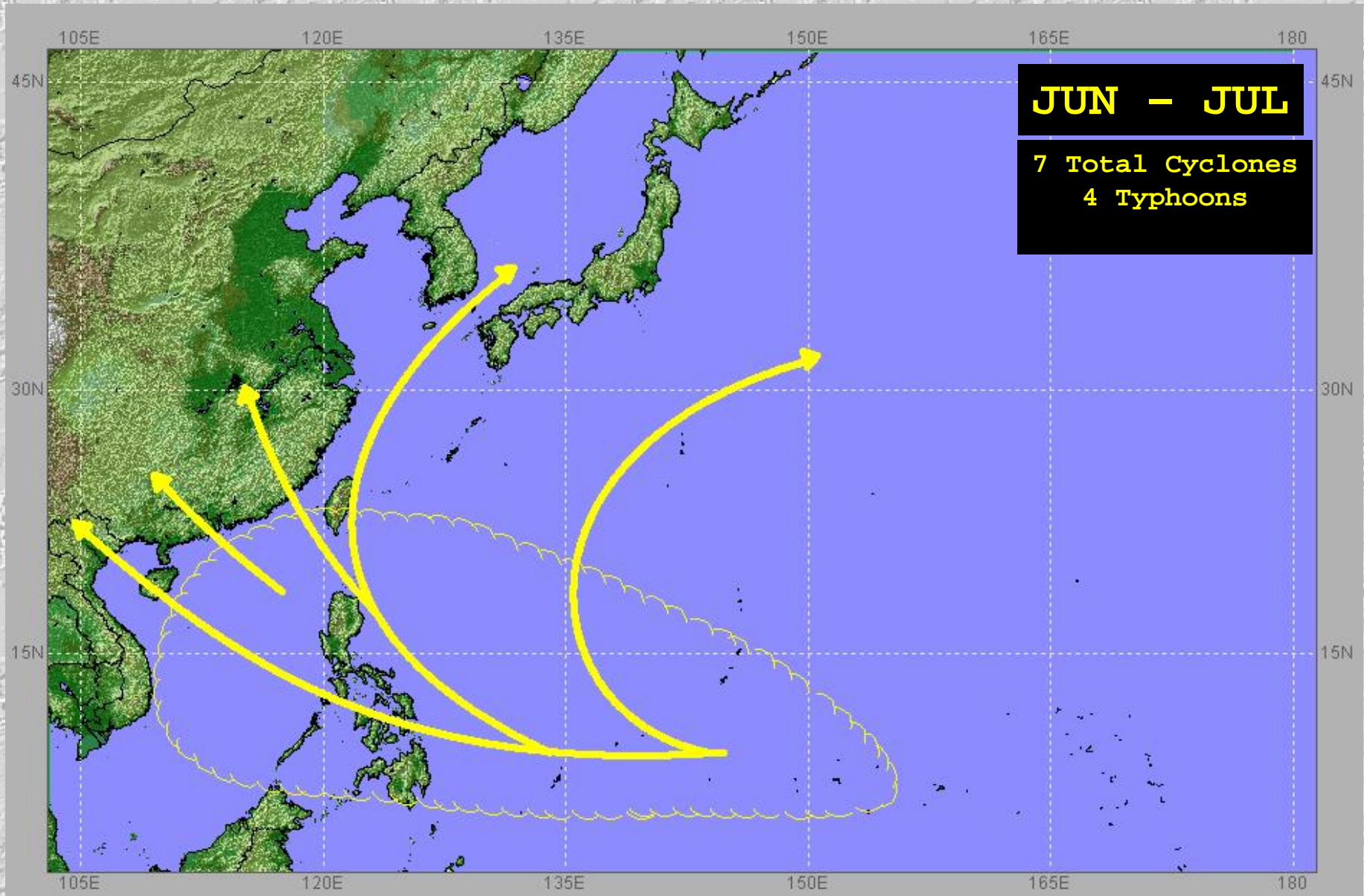
Super Typhoon: Maximum sustained winds 130 knots or greater

\*1 knot = 1.15 Miles per hour



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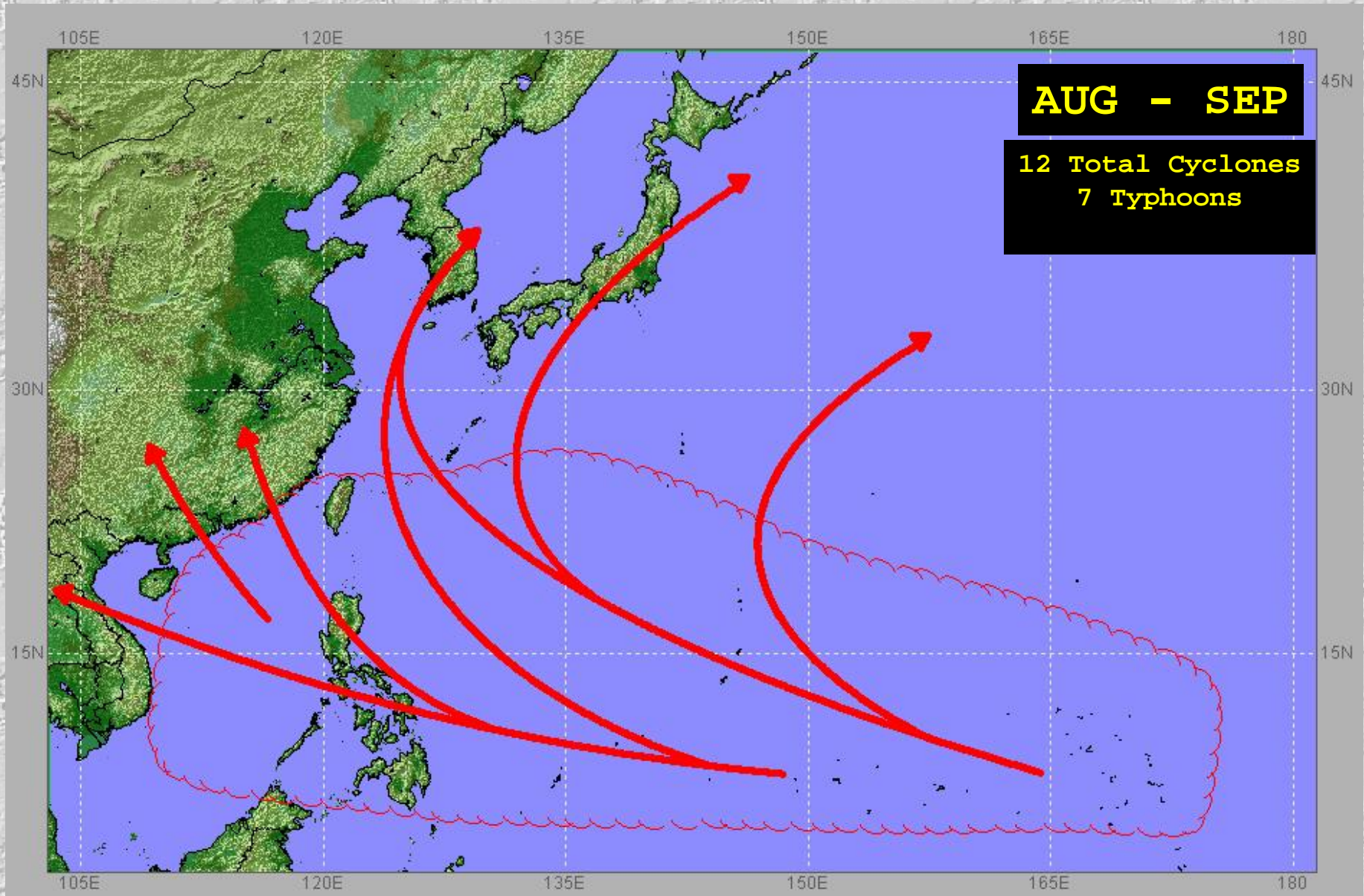
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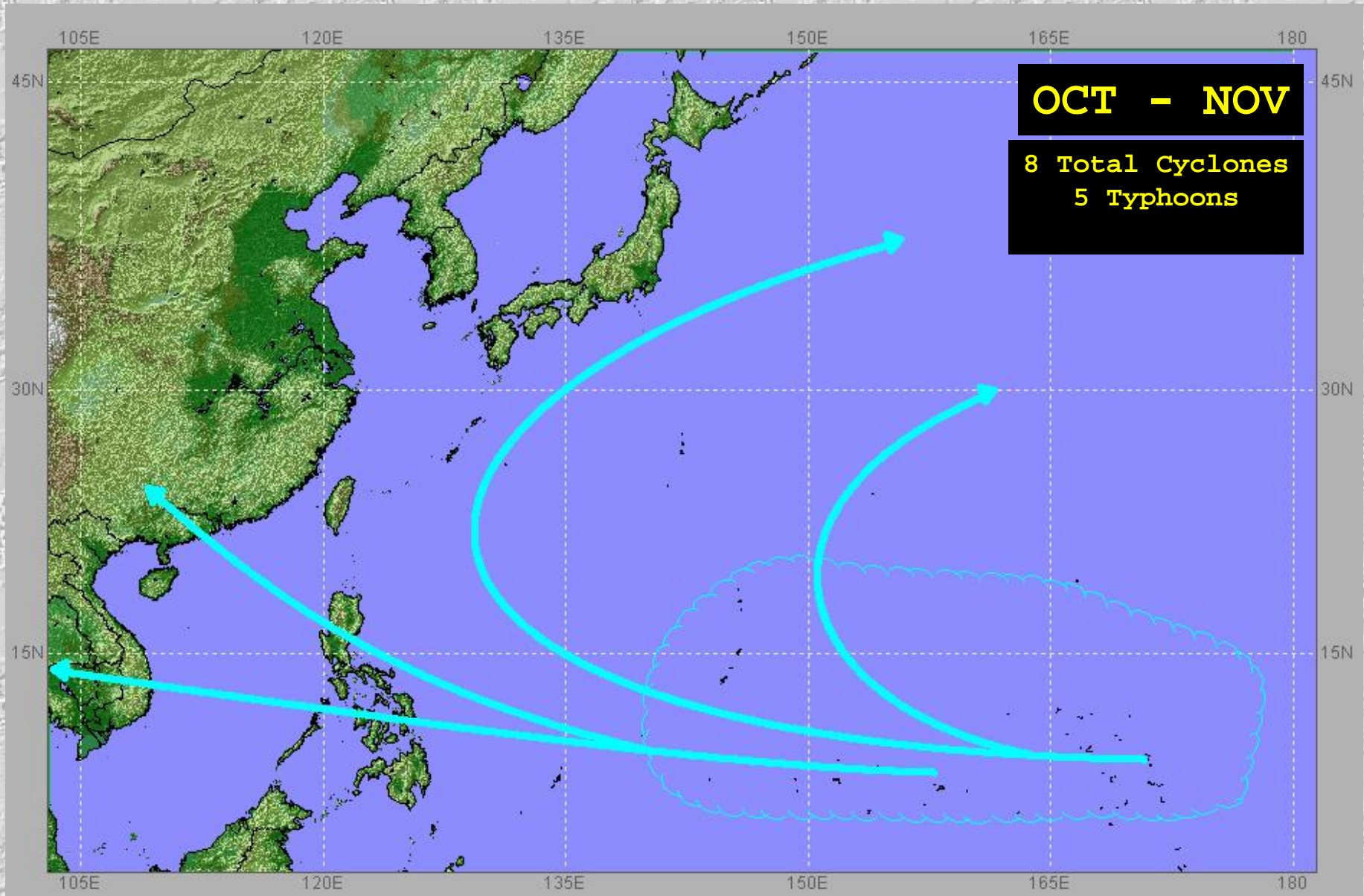
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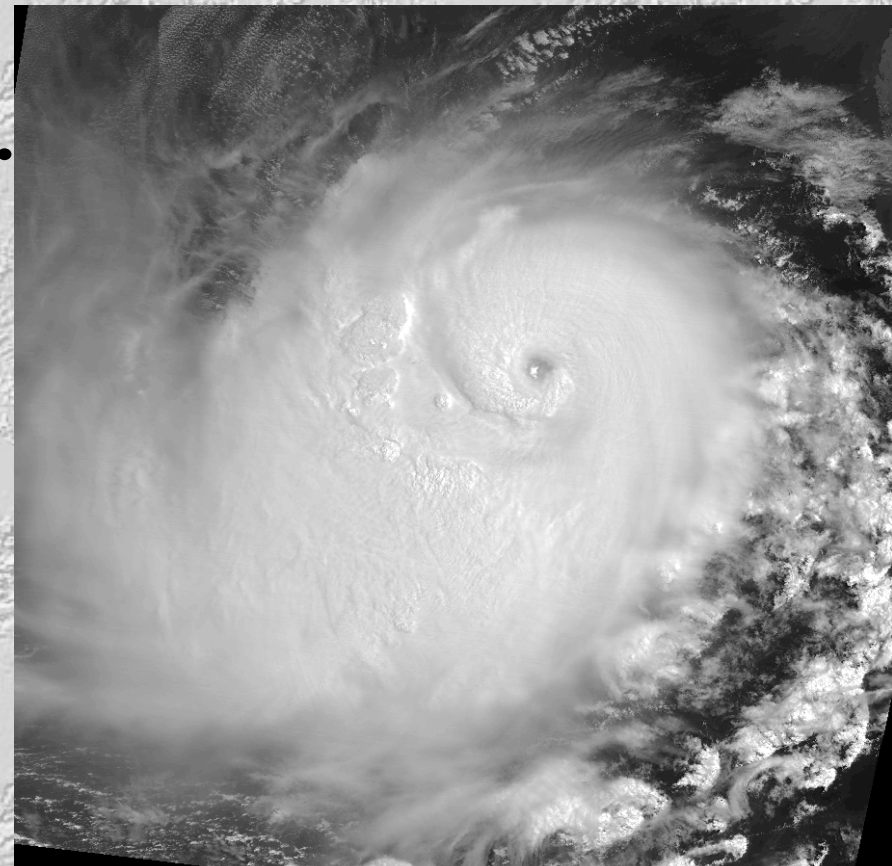
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# Tropical Cyclone Condition of Readiness Four

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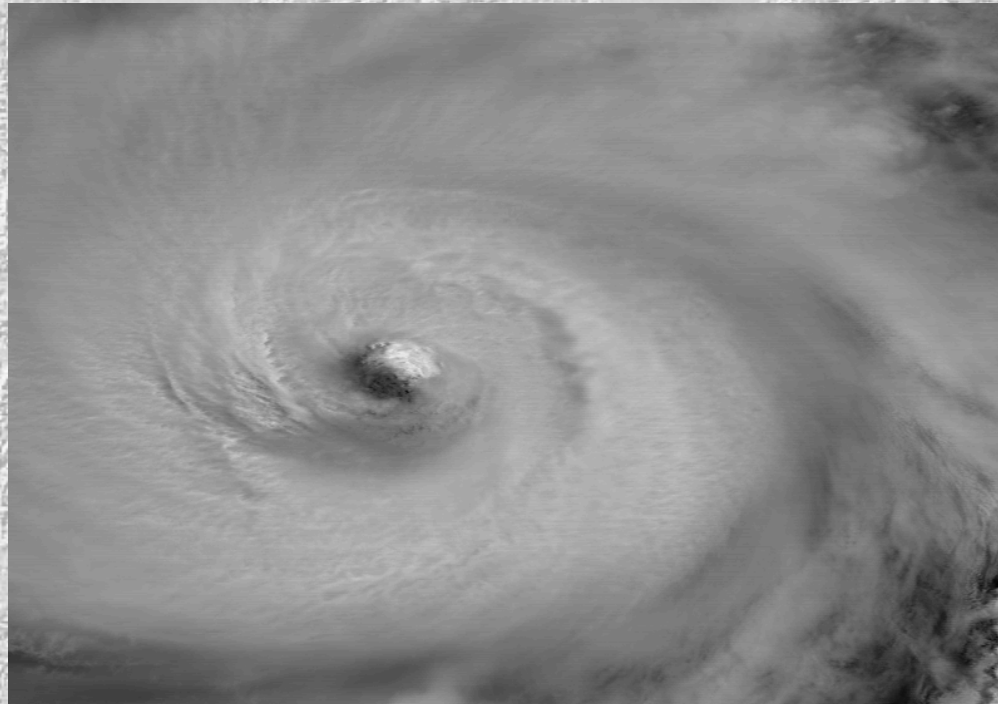
- Plan for worsening conditions...review storm preparation checklist, evacuation plan and check emergency supplies.
- All loose outdoor equipment and materials should be brought inside or secured to eliminate missile hazards (i.e. grills, trash cans, playground sets, houseplants, etc.).





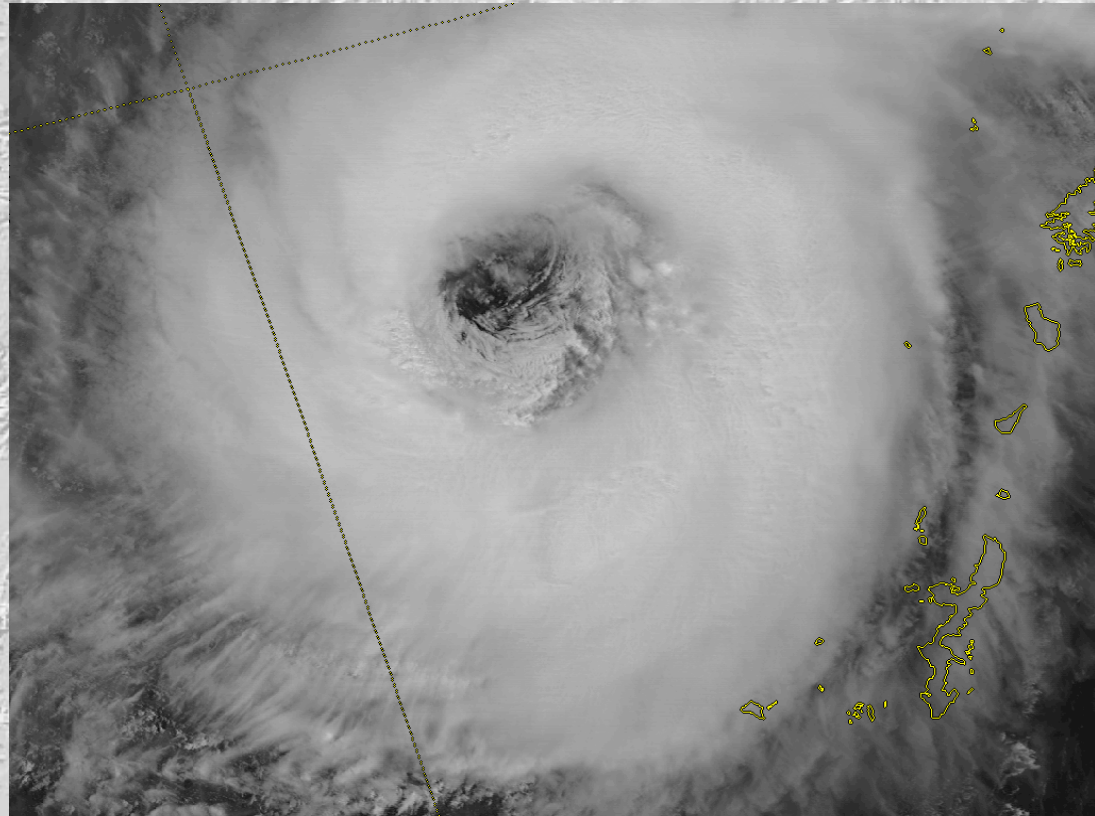
# Tropical Cyclone Condition of Readiness Three

- \* Destructive force winds of 50 knots or greater are possible within 48 hours.
- Fuel vehicles, stock canned goods, store drinking water and cooking utensils.
- Secure buildings by closing typhoon shutters or boarding up windows.
- Turn refrigerator and freezer to coldest setting.



# Tropical Cyclone Condition of Readiness Two

- \* Destructive force winds of 50 knots or greater are anticipated within 24 hours.
- Preparations should be rushed to completion...ensure sufficient cash and important documents are handy in case of evacuation.
- Store valuables and personal papers in a water proof container on the highest levels of your home.

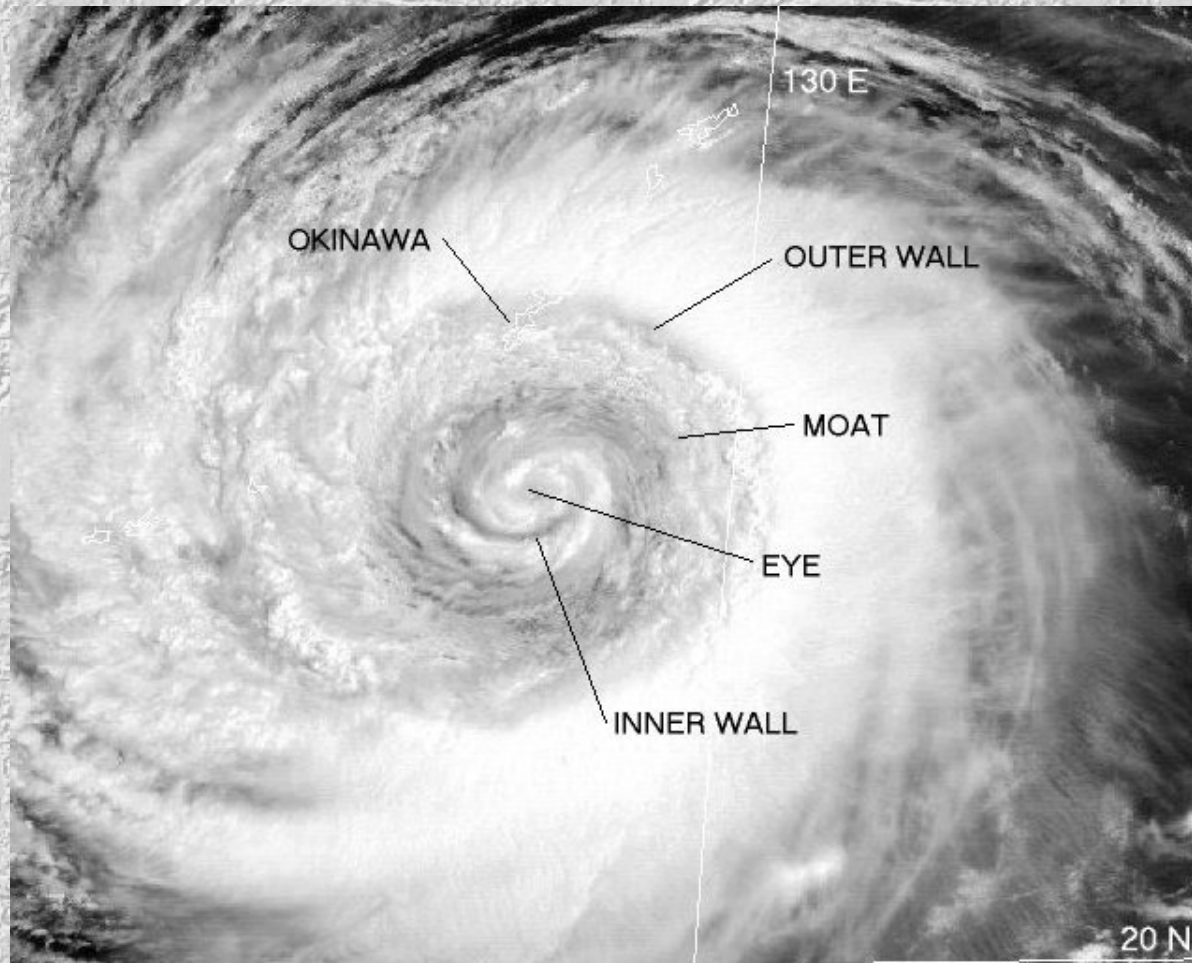




# Tropical Cyclone Condition of Readiness One

\* Destructive force winds of 50 knots or greater are anticipated within 12 hours.

- Preparations should be completed... weather conditions will begin to deteriorate from this point on.
- Be prepared to seek shelter on short notice.



# Tropical Cyclone Condition of Readiness Storm Watch

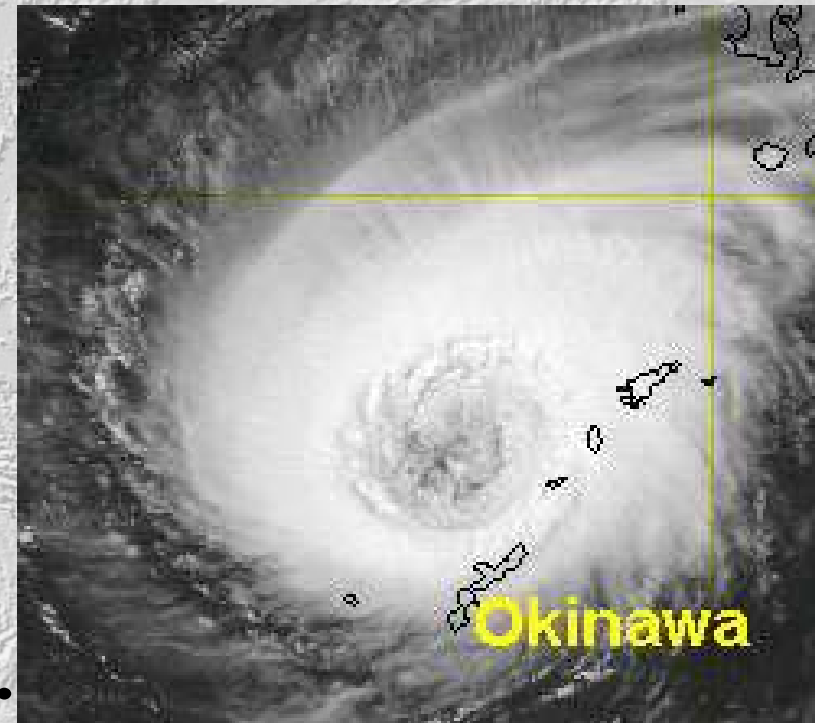
- \* Destructive force winds are not expected to occur on station; however, the storm is expected to pass dangerously close and any shift in storm track may warrant issuance of advanced warnings.
- Remain alert as rapid changes to TCCOR conditions could occur.





# Tropical Cyclone Condition of Readiness One Caution

- \* Damaging winds of 34 to 49 knots are occurring on station.
- Stay inside...away from windows, skylights and glass doors.
- Keep a supply of flashlights, batteries, mops, rags and buckets handy.
- If power is lost, unplug major appliances.
- Stay inside until notified it is safe for you to exit your residence.



# Tropical Cyclone Condition of Readiness One Emergency

- \* Destructive force winds of 50 knots or greater are occurring on station.
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# Tropical Cyclone Condition of Readiness Recovery

- \* Destructive force winds of 50 knots or greater have moved off station and are no longer forecast to occur.
- Remain inside...work and survey crews are assessing the extent of damage to establish safe zones around hazards (downed power lines, unstable structures, etc...).
- Stay inside until either ALL CLEAR or STORM WATCH has been set.

# Tropical Cyclone Condition of Readiness All Clear

\* Recovery operations have been completed. Winds of 34 -49 knots have moved off station and are no longer forecast to occur.

It is safe for all residents to go outside.

- Check your buildings for damage and report any damage to Public Works.
- Beware of snakes, insects and animals driven to higher ground by flood waters.